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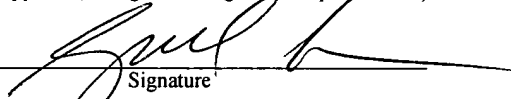
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : MACHE, Niels *et al.*
Appl. No. : 09/727,182
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Title : **INSTANT MESSAGING**
Art Unit : 2155
Examiner : LAZARO, David R.

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7.